# **FISCAL NOTE**

# HB 410 - SB 714

March 6, 2007

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes individuals licensed to carry a handgun to carry the firearm into a restaurant if such establishment has not posted a handgun restriction notice pursuant to T.C.A. § 39-17-1359 and if the individual does not consume alcoholic beverages. A restaurant is defined as an establishment that derives 60% or more of its income from food.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

Decrease Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant
Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant

### Assumptions:

- Currently, possession of a firearm in such establishments is punishable as a Class A misdemeanor.
- There will not be a sufficient decrease in the number of prosecutions for local governments to experience a significant decrease in revenues or expenditures.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director